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Mexico is heavily favored to defeat South Africa in the opening match of the 2026 FIFA World Cup, with a projected score of 2-0 or 2-1 in favor of El Tri. Co-hosts Mexico enter the tournament in strong, unbeaten form, while South Africa has struggled for consistency in recent friendlies.

Key Match Details & Context

- Date & Time: Thursday, June 11 at 3:00 PM ET / 12:00 PM PT (20:00 BST).
- Venue: Estadio Azteca, Mexico City. It will make history as the first stadium to host three World Cup opening matches.
- Tournament Group: Group A (alongside South Korea and Czechia).

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- Result: Mexico to win (Moneyline odds heavily favor Mexico at roughly -209 to -250, depending on the sportsbook).
- Projected Score: 2-0 or 2-1 Mexico.
- Goalscorer Insight: Fulham striker Raúl Jiménez is a top pick to find the back of the net, coming into the tournament in excellent international form.

PredictionPreview

Mexico VS South Africa

Mexico City Stadium 22°

12/06/2026 0:00

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Mexico Win Probability 61%



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World Cup

1X2Under/Over 2.5Half TimeHalf Time/Full TimeBoth To ScoreScorersCornersCards

Home team

Prob. %

1

X

2

Pred

Correct score

Avg. goals

Weather conditions

Coef.

Score

Live coef.

Group A

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MEX 					SAF 				
LAST 6 MATCHES					LAST 6 MATCHES				
All	Gold Cup	CONCACAF Nations League			All	Africa Cup of Nations	WC Qualification Africa		
07/07 2025	USA	1 - 2	Mexico	GC	04/01 2026	South Africa	1 - 2	Cameroon	Acn
		(1 - 1)					(0 - 1)		
03/07 2025	Mexico	1 - 0	Honduras	GC	29/12 2025	Zimbabwe	2 - 3	South Africa	Acn
		(0 - 0)					(1 - 1)		
29/06 2025	Mexico	2 - 0	Saudi Arabia	GC	26/12 2025	Egypt	1 - 0	South Africa	Acn
		(0 - 0)					(1 - 0)		
23/06 2025	Mexico	0 - 0	Costa Rica	GC	22/12 2025	South Africa	2 - 1	Angola	Acn
		(0 - 0)					(1 - 1)		
19/06 2025	Surinam	0 - 2	Mexico	GC	14/10 2025	South Africa	3 - 0	Rwanda	WCQ
		(0 - 0)					(2 - 0)		
15/06 2025	Mexico	3 - 2	Dominican Rep	GC	10/10 2025	Zimbabwe	0 - 0	South Africa	WCQ
		(1 - 0)					(0 - 0)		
Win 5 83%					Win 3 50%				
Draw 1 17%					Draw 1 17%				
Lost 0 0%					Lost 2 33%				

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Match Details:

Fixture: Mexico vs. South Africa Competition: World Cup (World) - 2026 Season: 2026
Matchweek: 1 Kickoff: 21:00 Venue: [Estadio Azteca](#) Referee:

Betting Insights & Caution

While our predictions provide valuable insights, it's important to approach them with a critical mindset. Bookmakers are well aware of statistical probabilities and often adjust their odds accordingly, sometimes offering lower odds than the actual mathematical probabilities suggest. Always use your judgment before placing a real bet.